



Patent
Attorney Docket No. 018775-827

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of

Hirotomo Ishii

Application No.: 09/845,349

Filing Date: May 1, 2001

Title: IMAGE PROCESSING FOR BINARIZATION OF IMAGE DATA

Group Art Unit: 2623

Examiner: COLIN M LAROSE

Confirmation No.: 2588

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to: the Official Action dated August 6, 2004

three months to February 7, 2005 \$510.00 (2253) \$1,020.00 (1253)

The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action dated _____.

An extension fee in the amount of \$ 1,020.00 is enclosed.

Charge _____ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.

Charge _____ to credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

BURNS, DOANE, SWECKER & MATHIS, L.L.P.

P.O. Box 1404
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1404
(703) 836-6620

Date: 1-26-05

By

William C. Rowland
Registration No. 30,888

01/28/2005 LWONDIM1 00000073 09845349

01 FC:1253 1020.00 0P